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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 26 Jan 1994 15:34:50 -0600
From: ucsnews!sol.ctr.columbia.edu!howland.reston.ans.net!cs.utexas.edu!not-for-
mail@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: Help .. Yaesu 301S manual
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Help!

Does anyone have a copy of the Yaesu 301S manual.. recently purchased
one that needs to be realigned and don't have a manual.

thanks

Jeff

Date: 28 Jan 1994 01:43:42 GMT
From: usc!cs.utexas.edu!geraldo.cc.utexas.edu!slip-5-3.ots.utexas.edu!
user@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: How to "Convert" Ham Radio HyperCard Stack?
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

> All you have to do is choose "Convert Stack" from the "File" menu. If
> the "File" menu isn't visible, type the "Apple" key and the spacebar at
> the same time to make it show. If you still have trouble, send me
> E-mail and I'll help out.

Thanks to Don and the other folks who told me that command-spacebar would
allow me to access the menubar, and thereby Convert the stack. It worked!

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Date: 28 Jan 94 05:04:00 GMT
From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu
Subject: ORBS\$028.MICRO.AMSAT
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

SB KEPS @ AMSAT \$ORBS-028.D
Orbital Elements 028.MICROS

HR AMSAT ORBITAL ELEMENTS FOR THE MICROSATS
FROM WA5QGD FORT WORTH,TX January 28, 1994
BID: \$ORBS-028.D
TO ALL RADIO AMATEURS BT

Satellite: UO-14
Catalog number: 20437
Epoch time: 94023.72027674
Element set: 958
Inclination: 98.6014 deg
RA of node: 110.4232 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0010738
Arg of perigee: 258.1040 deg
Mean anomaly: 101.8939 deg

Mean motion: 14.29818845 rev/day
Decay rate: 9.0e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 20894
Checksum: 300

Satellite: A0-16

Catalog number: 20439
Epoch time: 94023.71142341
Element set: 759
Inclination: 98.6085 deg
RA of node: 111.4985 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0010626
Arg of perigee: 257.4103 deg
Mean anomaly: 102.5891 deg
Mean motion: 14.29874323 rev/day
Decay rate: 3.6e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 20895
Checksum: 302

Satellite: D0-17

Catalog number: 20440
Epoch time: 94023.19000664
Element set: 758
Inclination: 98.6093 deg
RA of node: 111.2588 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0010786
Arg of perigee: 258.6026 deg
Mean anomaly: 101.3939 deg
Mean motion: 14.30012183 rev/day
Decay rate: 3.3e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 20889
Checksum: 287

Satellite: W0-18

Catalog number: 20441
Epoch time: 94023.72257873
Element set: 759
Inclination: 98.6090 deg
RA of node: 111.7965 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0011363
Arg of perigee: 257.4262 deg
Mean anomaly: 102.5650 deg
Mean motion: 14.29988660 rev/day
Decay rate: 2.2e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 20897
Checksum: 317

Satellite: L0-19

Catalog number: 20442
Epoch time: 94023.78031134
Element set: 758
Inclination: 98.6095 deg
RA of node: 112.0754 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0011686
Arg of perigee: 257.0604 deg
Mean anomaly: 102.9274 deg
Mean motion: 14.30082457 rev/day
Decay rate: 3.5e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 20899
Checksum: 296

Satellite: UO-22
Catalog number: 21575
Epoch time: 94022.73955110
Element set: 459
Inclination: 98.4491 deg
RA of node: 100.0846 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0008316
Arg of perigee: 9.2228 deg
Mean anomaly: 350.9110 deg
Mean motion: 14.36884103 rev/day
Decay rate: 7.7e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 13219
Checksum: 283

Satellite: K0-23
Catalog number: 22077
Epoch time: 94023.85609254
Element set: 354
Inclination: 66.0869 deg
RA of node: 222.1744 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0008987
Arg of perigee: 324.6351 deg
Mean anomaly: 35.4071 deg
Mean motion: 12.86283752 rev/day
Decay rate: -3.7e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 6822
Checksum: 309

Satellite: A0-27
Catalog number: 22825
Epoch time: 94024.20805866
Element set: 256
Inclination: 98.6679 deg
RA of node: 101.3787 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0008002

Arg of perigee: 272.5619 deg
Mean anomaly: 87.4646 deg
Mean motion: 14.27602782 rev/day
Decay rate: 2.4e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 1714
Checksum: 313

Satellite: IO-26

Catalog number: 22826
Epoch time: 94024.19945571
Element set: 257
Inclination: 98.6696 deg
RA of node: 101.3894 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0008709
Arg of perigee: 274.0164 deg
Mean anomaly: 86.0022 deg
Mean motion: 14.27705052 rev/day
Decay rate: 1.4e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 1714
Checksum: 300

Satellite: KO-25

Catalog number: 22830
Epoch time: 94023.12145410
Element set: 258
Inclination: 98.5680 deg
RA of node: 99.1055 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0010832
Arg of perigee: 241.2500 deg
Mean anomaly: 118.7594 deg
Mean motion: 14.28028626 rev/day
Decay rate: 3.2e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 1699
Checksum: 281

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Date: 28 Jan 94 05:08:00 GMT
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Orbital Elements 028.MISC

HR AMSAT ORBITAL ELEMENTS FOR MANNED AND MISCELLANEOUS SATELLITES

FROM WA5QGD FORT WORTH,TX January 28, 1994
BID: \$ORBS-028.M
TO ALL RADIO AMATEURS BT

Satellite: MIR
Catalog number: 16609
Epoch time: 94024.89373306
Element set: 113
Inclination: 51.6149 deg
RA of node: 185.5066 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0004274
Arg of perigee: 238.4510 deg
Mean anomaly: 121.6066 deg
Mean motion: 15.59707808 rev/day
Decay rate: 3.418e-05 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 45369
Checksum: 305

Satellite: HUBBLE
Catalog number: 20580
Epoch time: 94022.24851824
Element set: 430
Inclination: 28.4686 deg
RA of node: 93.3100 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0006047
Arg of perigee: 4.5503 deg
Mean anomaly: 355.5137 deg
Mean motion: 14.90434303 rev/day
Decay rate: 8.56e-06 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 759
Checksum: 266

Satellite: GRO
Catalog number: 21225
Epoch time: 94021.73753211
Element set: 57
Inclination: 28.4607 deg
RA of node: 168.1175 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0003410
Arg of perigee: 4.1032 deg
Mean anomaly: 355.9593 deg
Mean motion: 15.39868197 rev/day
Decay rate: 3.487e-05 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 3433
Checksum: 282

Satellite: UARS
Catalog number: 21701

Epoch time: 94022.08009544
Element set: 466
Inclination: 56.9837 deg
RA of node: 24.5158 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0005011
Arg of perigee: 99.9306 deg
Mean anomaly: 260.2285 deg
Mean motion: 14.96313760 rev/day
Decay rate: -1.61e-06 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 12906
Checksum: 281

Satellite: POSAT

Catalog number: 22829
Epoch time: 94024.17496986
Element set: 249
Inclination: 98.6636 deg
RA of node: 101.3681 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0009514
Arg of perigee: 260.3974 deg
Mean anomaly: 99.6130 deg
Mean motion: 14.27999725 rev/day
Decay rate: 1.12e-06 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 1714
Checksum: 324

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Date: 28 Jan 94 05:02:00 GMT
From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu
Subject: ORBS\$028.OSCAR.AMSAT
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SB KEPS @ AMSAT \$ORBS-028.0
Orbital Elements 028.OSCAR

HR AMSAT ORBITAL ELEMENTS FOR OSCAR SATELLITES
FROM WA5QGD FORT WORTH,TX January 28, 1994
BID: \$ORBS-028.0
TO ALL RADIO AMATEURS BT

Satellite: AO-10
Catalog number: 14129
Epoch time: 94024.05103246
Element set: 255
Inclination: 27.1974 deg

RA of node: 345.0665 deg
Eccentricity: 0.6022479
Arg of perigee: 148.8987 deg
Mean anomaly: 267.9531 deg
Mean motion: 2.05878528 rev/day
Decay rate: -1.57e-06 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 7981
Checksum: 331

Satellite: UO-11
Catalog number: 14781
Epoch time: 94022.54990237
Element set: 659
Inclination: 97.7943 deg
RA of node: 44.0471 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0012732
Arg of perigee: 20.1247 deg
Mean anomaly: 340.0459 deg
Mean motion: 14.69126429 rev/day
Decay rate: 2.20e-06 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 52892
Checksum: 298

Satellite: RS-10/11
Catalog number: 18129
Epoch time: 94024.51112470
Element set: 856
Inclination: 82.9229 deg
RA of node: 75.0490 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0013261
Arg of perigee: 65.1117 deg
Mean anomaly: 295.1421 deg
Mean motion: 13.72330004 rev/day
Decay rate: 2.9e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 33020
Checksum: 251

Satellite: AO-13
Catalog number: 19216
Epoch time: 94024.72776868
Element set: 868
Inclination: 57.8659 deg
RA of node: 271.7520 deg
Eccentricity: 0.7209858
Arg of perigee: 333.3841 deg
Mean anomaly: 3.3067 deg
Mean motion: 2.09727795 rev/day
Decay rate: -4.74e-06 rev/day^2

Epoch rev: 4300
Checksum: 343

Satellite: FO-20
Catalog number: 20480
Epoch time: 94022.02498298
Element set: 653
Inclination: 99.0150 deg
RA of node: 201.5769 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0540715
Arg of perigee: 310.7310 deg
Mean anomaly: 44.8065 deg
Mean motion: 12.83224067 rev/day
Decay rate: 3.2e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 18538
Checksum: 283

Satellite: AO-21
Catalog number: 21087
Epoch time: 94022.59338267
Element set: 418
Inclination: 82.9419 deg
RA of node: 250.4473 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0036137
Arg of perigee: 127.9378 deg
Mean anomaly: 232.5054 deg
Mean motion: 13.74532122 rev/day
Decay rate: 9.4e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 14958
Checksum: 311

Satellite: RS-12/13
Catalog number: 21089
Epoch time: 94023.25486395
Element set: 657
Inclination: 82.9234 deg
RA of node: 118.9396 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0029748
Arg of perigee: 149.4078 deg
Mean anomaly: 210.8818 deg
Mean motion: 13.74034012 rev/day
Decay rate: 6.9e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 14874
Checksum: 336

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Date: 28 Jan 94 05:06:00 GMT
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SB KEPS @ AMSAT \$ORBS-028.W
Orbital Elements 028.WEATHER

HR AMSAT ORBITAL ELEMENTS FOR WEATHER SATELLITES
FROM WA5QGD FORT WORTH,TX January 28, 1994
BID: \$ORBS-028.W
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Satellite: NOAA-9
Catalog number: 15427
Epoch time: 94024.84111918
Element set: 690
Inclination: 99.0714 deg
RA of node: 73.5136 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0014254
Arg of perigee: 265.0534 deg
Mean anomaly: 94.9011 deg
Mean motion: 14.13582049 rev/day
Decay rate: 6.6e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 47009
Checksum: 295

Satellite: NOAA-10
Catalog number: 16969
Epoch time: 94024.90557717
Element set: 589
Inclination: 98.5115 deg
RA of node: 38.2683 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0014216
Arg of perigee: 30.0469 deg
Mean anomaly: 330.1524 deg
Mean motion: 14.24859195 rev/day
Decay rate: 4.6e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 38220
Checksum: 311

Satellite: MET-2/17
Catalog number: 18820
Epoch time: 94023.43390413
Element set: 256
Inclination: 82.5388 deg
RA of node: 23.7309 deg

Eccentricity: 0.0015197
Arg of perigee: 225.1306 deg
Mean anomaly: 134.8627 deg
Mean motion: 13.84705138 rev/day
Decay rate: 3.0e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 30232
Checksum: 282

Satellite: MET-3/2
Catalog number: 19336
Epoch time: 94022.60025047
Element set: 258
Inclination: 82.5388 deg
RA of node: 66.7138 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0015665
Arg of perigee: 267.7785 deg
Mean anomaly: 92.1551 deg
Mean motion: 13.16963643 rev/day
Decay rate: 5.1e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 26409
Checksum: 316

Satellite: NOAA-11
Catalog number: 19531
Epoch time: 94024.88940835
Element set: 493
Inclination: 99.1591 deg
RA of node: 10.3872 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0011598
Arg of perigee: 172.3595 deg
Mean anomaly: 187.7754 deg
Mean motion: 14.12952794 rev/day
Decay rate: 1.09e-06 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 27498
Checksum: 345

Satellite: MET-2/18
Catalog number: 19851
Epoch time: 94023.59752591
Element set: 257
Inclination: 82.5221 deg
RA of node: 259.1929 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0013085
Arg of perigee: 276.2886 deg
Mean anomaly: 83.6783 deg
Mean motion: 13.84355919 rev/day
Decay rate: 6.0e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 24768

Checksum: 350

Satellite: MET-3/3

Catalog number: 20305

Epoch time: 94025.10426049

Element set: 975

Inclination: 82.5515 deg

RA of node: 8.9014 deg

Eccentricity: 0.0005987

Arg of perigee: 291.9052 deg

Mean anomaly: 68.1464 deg

Mean motion: 13.04413358 rev/day

Decay rate: $4.4\text{e-}07$ rev/day²

Epoch rev: 20424

Checksum: 280

Satellite: MET-2/19

Catalog number: 20670

Epoch time: 94023.30001472

Element set: 758

Inclination: 82.5480 deg

RA of node: 323.5522 deg

Eccentricity: 0.0014995

Arg of perigee: 189.5054 deg

Mean anomaly: 170.5826 deg

Mean motion: 13.84186867 rev/day

Decay rate: $2.4\text{e-}07$ rev/day²

Epoch rev: 18057

Checksum: 310

Satellite: FY-1/2

Catalog number: 20788

Epoch time: 94025.10148604

Element set: 877

Inclination: 98.8447 deg

RA of node: 49.7771 deg

Eccentricity: 0.0015332

Arg of perigee: 50.8207 deg

Mean anomaly: 309.4318 deg

Mean motion: 14.01330340 rev/day

Decay rate: $-2.61\text{e-}06$ rev/day²

Epoch rev: 17366

Checksum: 295

Satellite: MET-2/20

Catalog number: 20826

Epoch time: 94023.60305417

Element set: 757

Inclination: 82.5264 deg
RA of node: 261.0126 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0014611
Arg of perigee: 90.7607 deg
Mean anomaly: 269.5239 deg
Mean motion: 13.83571525 rev/day
Decay rate: 8.6e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 16776
Checksum: 300

Satellite: MET-3/4
Catalog number: 21232
Epoch time: 94021.18358038
Element set: 665
Inclination: 82.5452 deg
RA of node: 273.5216 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0012567
Arg of perigee: 190.0068 deg
Mean anomaly: 170.0806 deg
Mean motion: 13.16458840 rev/day
Decay rate: 5.0e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 13201
Checksum: 268

Satellite: NOAA-12
Catalog number: 21263
Epoch time: 94024.83275922
Element set: 899
Inclination: 98.6348 deg
RA of node: 55.6700 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0012386
Arg of perigee: 295.2559 deg
Mean anomaly: 64.7335 deg
Mean motion: 14.22359980 rev/day
Decay rate: 1.03e-06 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 14015
Checksum: 314

Satellite: MET-3/5
Catalog number: 21655
Epoch time: 94022.55531684
Element set: 661
Inclination: 82.5514 deg
RA of node: 219.5787 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0012818
Arg of perigee: 199.5298 deg
Mean anomaly: 160.5334 deg
Mean motion: 13.16827463 rev/day

Decay rate: 5.1e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 11729
Checksum: 321

Satellite: MET-2/21
Catalog number: 22782
Epoch time: 94023.09460165
Element set: 257
Inclination: 82.5520 deg
RA of node: 321.4145 deg
Eccentricity: 0.0021234
Arg of perigee: 275.1244 deg
Mean anomaly: 84.7497 deg
Mean motion: 13.82997383 rev/day
Decay rate: 5.4e-07 rev/day^2
Epoch rev: 2003
Checksum: 285

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Date: Wed, 26 Jan 1994 17:15:02 GMT
From: mvb.saic.com!unogate!news.service.uci.edu!usc!howland.reston.ans.net!
cs.utexas.edu!sdd.hp.com!col.hp.com!csn!server!stortek.com!
patrick_tatro@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: Power Line Interference
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

In article <1994Jan25.140537.16951@ccd.harris.com> drs@ccd.harris.com (Doug Snowden) writes:

>From: drs@ccd.harris.com (Doug Snowden)
>Subject: Power Line Interference
>Date: Tue, 25 Jan 1994 14:05:37 GMT

>For the past 3 years I have been trying to track down some noise that appears
>to be coming from the power lines. I have walked around with a portable radio,
>driven around (for miles in all directions) in my car seeking the source. The
>source seems to come from one of the two power poles across the street from me.

> This noise tends to show up in the Winter time or on cool or rainy
>Summer days. In the Summer time I might have the noise on a day that remains
>cloudy (therefore cooler). In the Winter time the noise also tends to also
>show up mostly (but not always) at night time when it is cooler. We are talking
>about Florida, so in the Winter time it doesn't normally get that cold. Now here
>is the weird part: The noise has a cyclic period of about 1.5 seconds on and
>1.5 seconds off. This part doesn't vary. If I have the noise, it has this
>period. Now there are no capacitors on the power poles around me. The pole that

>I suspect has a transformer on it. Can a transformer do this? How? Is there
>some sort of capacitor or protection circuit on these xfmr's that can do this?

> Normally, I cannot determine the source (this changes). My 20 meter
>beam seems to tell me which pole the noise comes from, but if I walk up to
>the pole, with a portable radio I normally am not able to zero in on it.
>I have called the power company in the past to repair a problem which I was
>able to point them to. I am reluctant to call them on this one, even though
>it tears up all from 1500 khz to 21 mhz. I have heard that this sort of
>interference can originate miles away and be picked up by the power lines at
>some distant point (my house). I imagine I'll call the power company for
>resolution, but would like any input I can get before I do it. Please don't
>tell me to go beat on the pole!

>--

>Doug Snowden
>drs@ccd.harris.com
>N4IJ

Doug

We have Ham Radio Elmers on Internet who might be able to help you. Kim
Elmore N50P can be reached at elmore@brightband.rap.ucar.edu

Kim's experience with RFI and EMI might be what you need. Give him an EMAIL and
see.

73's

Patrick Tatro N0WCG

Date: 24 Jan 94 18:23:59 GMT
From: agate!howland.reston.ans.net!cs.utexas.edu!swrinde!sgiblab!sgigate.sgi.com!
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doc@ucbvax.berkeley.edu
Subject: SWR meters
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Greetings -

I'm curious as to my options on getting an SWR meter. I've
naturally heard much about the Bird meter, but that's a pretty

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<2i53kj\$56k@helios.intranet.gr>edu  
Subject : Re: Illegal Activities of Dominique Cormann (Re: CB/HAM equipment)

In article <2i53kj\$56k@helios.intranet.gr> demetre@phaethon.intranet.gr (Demetre Koumanakos) writes:

>Path: rapnet!butch!netcomsv!decwrl!concert!news-feed-1.peachnet.edu!ukma!  
eng.ufl.edu!spool.mu.edu!howland.reston.ans.net!EU.net!news.forth.gr!  
helios.intranet.gr!phaethon!demetre  
>From: demetre@phaethon.intranet.gr (Demetre Koumanakos)  
>Newsgroups: can.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.misc  
>Subject: Re: Illegal Activities of Dominique Cormann (Re: CB/HAM equipment)  
>Date: 26 Jan 1994 06:46:43 GMT  
>Organization: Intracom sa  
>Lines: 22  
>Distribution: na  
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>References: <60.668.5285.0N191767@canrem.com> <CK45ys.9II@ve6mgs.ampr.ab.ca>  
>NNTP-Posting-Host: phaethon.intranet.gr

>>The reason I am selling this, is that I am getting my HAM license soon, and  
>>am starting to look for a 2 meter radio. I will also trade the above setup,  
>>for a good 2 meter setup, make me an offer.

>Not if I can help it. I will use any influence I have left as the Former  
>Public Service Director of the Northern Alberta Radio Club, and any avenues  
>of information transfer, such as the Packet Radio system, to ensure that people  
>of your kind are carefully scrutinized. This will not prevent you receiving  
>your ticket, but it may make you very uncomfortable when your past catches up  
>with you.

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Right on Demetre, an Elmer this guy will never be with that attitude!

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To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

References <CK45ys.9II@ve6mgs.ampr.ab.ca>, <2i53kj\$56k@helios.intranet.gr>,  
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>Newsgroups: can.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.misc  
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>Distribution: na  
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>In article <2i53kj\$56k@helios.intranet.gr>,  
>Demetre Koumanakos <demetre@phaethon.intranet.gr> wrote:  
>>>The reason I am selling this, is that I am getting my HAM license soon, and  
>>>am starting to look for a 2 meter radio. I will also trade the above setup,  
>>>for a good 2 meter setup, make me an offer.  
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>>Not if I can help it. I will use any influence I have left as the Former  
>>Public Service Director of the Northern Alberta Radio Club, and any avenues  
>>of information transfer, such as the Packet Radio system, to ensure that people  
>>of your kind are carefully scrutinized. This will not prevent you receiving  
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>If he was in this country, and the FCC caught him, he would get in very  
>serious trouble. If we allow this sort of thing to thing to persist,  
>we'll have a service that will be unusable. How do we know this person  
>will stay straight, we don't.

> Matt Roberts n3gzm

One listen on 14.313 Matt will show you that one's background has nothing to do with how good an operator or ham he will be. Listen during some of the DX pile-ups, the majority of the guys that transmit out of band, because they forget how to run the "split" on their transceiver, have 2by1 callsigns. I know of a number of hams that got their start on CB radio, and are good hams and legal operators, even though their early days in radio were not too savory. What Demetre and I ahve been trying to say is, give the guy a break, he may change and be a perfectly fine ham if someone were to extend the right hand of fellowship to him and get him squared away. The problem is that some guys get too vindictive, and and get their Jr. FCC hat on, and can't see the forest for the trees.

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